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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application Of:

W. Jones, et al.

Application No.: 09/967,232

Filed: September 28, 2001

Customer No. 41,230

For: System and Method For  
Processing Currency Bills and  
Substitute Currency Media in A  
Single Device

) Atty. Docket No.: 47171-00305USP1

) Examiner: S. MCALLISTER

) Group Art Unit: 3627

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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Dear Sir:

This is a response to the Restriction Requirement Dated December 8, 2004 in the above-identified application. Applicants transmit herewith the attached documents of the same date and subject which is/are incorporated hereunto by reference.

Transmitted herewith in the above-identified application is/are:

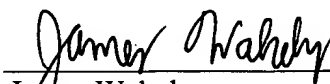
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- 2) Amendment and Election in Response to Restriction Requirement
- 3) Return Receipt Postcard

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Respectfully submitted,

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**AMENDMENT AND ELECTION  
IN RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 8, 2004, the due date for response within the shorted statutory period of 1-month being Monday, January 10, 2005, the first business day after Saturday, January 8, 2005, please enter and consider the following election, amendment, and remarks.

The Applicants' **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the **Listing of Claims**, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

The Applicants' **Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.